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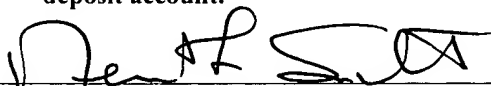
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following information is submitted for consideration by the Office in the above
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4,831,526	Luchs, et al.	May 16, 1989
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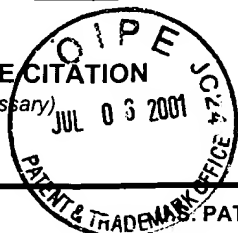
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